SENATE RESOLUTION 91

By Harris

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Takeila Troysha Stone, 2017 Valedictorian of Westwood High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Takeila Troysha Stone is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2017 graduating class at Westwood High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Takeila Stone achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she earned an exemplary 4.4 grade point average while participating in a variety of extracurricular activities, including National Honor Society, National Society of High School Scholars, Black History Club, soccer team, and softball team; she was the recipient of the Isaac Newton Award and the Albert Einstein Award; and

WHEREAS, dedicated to her community, Ms. Stone coordinated a community clean-up and participated in Westwood Community Rock Out; she also helped to beautify her school; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Stone's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Shaketha and Antwan Daniel, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Takeila Stone's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2017 Westwood High School Valedictorian, Takeila Troysha Stone, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.